EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN SOCIETY.

The most interesting event of the early season will be the wedding of Miss Laura Leigh Gashwiler and Samuel M. Shortridge, to be solemnized to-morrow at noon at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. John Gashwiler, on Central avenue.

Although on account of the illness of the bride's mother the wedding is to be extremely quiet, the immediate preparations for the wedding have been as elaborate as for a large social function. Only immediate relatives will witness the ceremony and partake of the dejeuner to follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney M. Smith gave a dinner party last Thursday evening at their cottage in San Rafael, in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Miss Bertha Smith.

Mrs. Henry L. Dodge entertained a number of friends at dinner Friday night at her home in San Rafael.

The paper chase has proven one of the most attractive features of the season at the Hotel Rafael.

The close of the season will be on Saturday, August 7, which will be called Ingleside day. Two very handsome cups have been presented for competition by Frederick H. Green, secretary of the Ingleside track, and the San Rafael Hunt Club has presented two silver trophies for the second winning couple of hounds. The attendance bids fair to be very large, and it is expected that more than fifty horses will be in the field. Many riders are expected from Oakland, and Walter Scott Hobart, Joseph Sadoc Tobin, Francis J. Carolan and Captain A. Fane Wainwright, with others, are booked from Burlingame. The finish is to be made in a large open plateau about a mile long, so spectators will have an excellent opportunity to witness it. In the evening there will be a ball at the Hotel Rafael. All lovers of horses and all amateur riders are cordially invited to this paper chase by the San Rafael Hunt Club. J. J. Crooks will be the judge of the race; Frank S. Johnson, master of the hounds, and Judge Ward McAllister whipper-in.

THEY'RE ENGAGED.

Announcement Made of Early Fall Weddings.

The engagement is announced of Miss Belle Cohn and Charles Barnett. They will receive their friends Sunday, August 15, from 2 to 5, at 215 Eleventh street.

HOME GATHERINGS.

Surprise Parties and Anniversary Celebrations the Past Week.

On Sunday last the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. J. Bergez and her daughter Marguerite were duly celebrated at their residence, 1412 Clay street. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the young folks, who were in the majority, had a most enjoyable time. At the conclusion of the festivities at the house all present adjourned to Bergez's restaurant on Pine street, where a splendid dinner was served. After dinner the guests went down into the basement and enjoyed singing, dancing and recitations until the little ones got weary and it was time to go home. Besides the adults there were: Miss Lizzie Larson, Miss Hazel Wade, Miss Marguerite Bergez, Miss Myrtle Wade, Miss Carrie Bacigalupi, Miss Edna Bernhard, Miss Viola Bacigalupi, Master L. Bergez and many others.

Miss Adele Purdy entertained a number of her friends on Friday evening, July 23, at her aunt's residence, 1212 Nineteenth street. The evening was delightfully spent in dancing, games and other amusements, after which an enjoyable supper was partaken of. Among those present were: Miss Kitty Raye, Miss Bessie O'Leary, Miss Julia Upton, Miss Sadie Delehanty, Miss Lillie Baker and Miss Adele Purdy, James Thymon, George Sandeman, James Johnson, Henry McHugh, Jerome Burnett, Willie O'Leary, William Raye, Alfred Williams, Joe McKay, Mr. Darling, Mr. Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Parnell.

William Schendel Jr. was the recipient of a delightful surprise party at his residence, 214 Fair Oaks street, Saturday evening, July 24. Those present were: Miss Maud Schendel, Miss Jennie Williamson, Miss Maggie Williamson, Miss Birdie Stanley, Miss Ella Cooper, Miss Lucy Cooper, Miss Bessie Hickox, Miss Mae Murdock, Miss Annie Miller, William Schendel, James Williamson, James R. Williamson, Charles Stanley, Oliver Stanley, Edward Thackery, Charles Meissner, Eddie Shapter, Willis Lowe, Eddie Heino, Charles Martin.

Miss Ida Boger entertained a number of her friends Thursday evening, July 29, at her residence, 622 Fillmore street. The evening was pleasantly spent in dancing, singing and playing games, after which a delicious repast was served.

A very enjoyable birthday party was given by Miss Elnora Richter, at the residence of her parents, corner of East Seventeenth street and Seventh avenue, East Oakland, Tuesday evening, July 27. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Richter, Miss E. Richter, Miss T. Richter, Miss F. Bauer, Miss A. Kraft, Miss S. Flathmann, Miss F. Bendricks, Miss L. Rier, Miss L. Theiss, Miss A. tum Suden, Miss B. tum Suden, Miss G. Meese, Miss A. Gripp, Miss E. Gripp, Professor W. Rohrbacher, G. Michel, J. Flathmann, G. Bastian, C. Wessel, H. Haggist.

A very pleasant surprise party was given on Sunday evening, July 25, by H. Marco and Miss Sophie Stern, at the former's residence, No. 45 Shotwell street, to Miss Johanna Brooks, prior to her departure for Washington. During the evening the guests indulged in some very amusing games, dancing and music. Miss Johanna Brooks and Miss Sophie Stern entertained the guests with some beautiful solos and duets; Miss Eva Stern also rendered several vocal selections.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Marco, Mr. and Mrs. Strunsky, Mrs. Brooks, Miss Annie Goldman, Miss Mollie Friedman, Miss Nellie Closky, Miss Esther Novinsky, Mrs. Stern, Mrs. Schwartz, Miss Eva Stern, Miss Pauline Goldman, Miss Bessie Novinsky, Miss Sarah Marco, Miss Lena Marco, Miss Dora Marco, Miss Sarah Marco, H. Edlin, W. Edlin, J. Lichtig, A. Goldman, W. Kohen, Mr. Smaiz, L. Goldman, C. B. Novinsky, H. Zwilling.

Thursday evening last a pleasant surprise party was given to James Andrews by his many friends and former schoolmates at his residence, 5 Franklin street. After many delightful games and musical selections supper was served. Those present were: Miss Sadye Moyce, Joseph Levin, Miss Margaret Laskin, Andrew Wistrand, Miss Gertrude Hussey, Richard Greer, Miss Elsie Laskey, Fred Hollmann, Miss Eleanor Harrington, James Andrews, Miss Ida Overgard, Emil Neunseber, Frank Martin, Miss Hannah Murphy and James Walsh.

A christening and dinner were held on the 21st inst. at the residence of Rev. John Pattison, Pacific Grove, the occasion being the christening of Mrs. C. S. Trimble's little son Nathan Peck, aged 84, officiated, assisted by the Rev. John Pattison. A quartet of male voices sang the beautiful selections, "Bringing in the Sheaves" and "Bring the Little Ones to Me." The little boy's father is on board the United States flagship stationed at Japan, and is expected home in January. Those present were: Walton Pattison, Rev. and Mrs. John Pattison, Mrs. Ellis, Pacific Grove; Wesley Pattison, Los Angeles; Mrs. George H. Fuller, Mrs. C. S. Trimble and W. W. H. Sidney Trimble of San Francisco.

OUTING PARTIES.

Miss Helen Chittenden Entertains on Board the White Wings.

By invitation of Miss Helen Chittenden a few friends were last Friday given an excursion around the bay on the yacht White Wings, Captain Charles R. Chittenden. The party were treated to a near view of the Golden Gate and after visiting various points of interest around the bay were landed near El Campo, where a bountiful lunch was spread. Returning with a fresh breeze the sailing qualities of the yacht were enjoyed by all.

The party was made up of Professor James Hamilton Howe, Commodore J. L. Eckley, Dr. Crumpton, Miss Clara Crumpton, Henry Eckley, Miss Crawhaw, Mrs. Alfred March, Professor Charles H. Hom, Harold Lewis, C. J. F. Cahill, Mrs. Cahill, John Swett Jr., Miss Helen Swett, T. M. Earl, Mrs. Earl, Miss Antoinette Schoellhorn, A. S. Wiester, W. B. Murdoch, Mrs. Murdoch, Miss Annie Fox, Miss Helen Chittenden, Miss Delia Shattuck, Miss Vanderbeck, Miss King, Miss Virginia Goodsell, Miss Daisy Goodsell, Mrs. Pellet, Miss Edith Barhyte, Miss Dorothy Goodsell, Miss Elizabeth W. Kite, Miss J. M. Spalding, Miss Kate Goodsell, Fowree Chittenden, F. M. Stocking.

Miss Minnie Roemer was tendered a surprise picnic at her summer residence in Mill Valley, July 24. Miss Roemer expecting a young lady friend from the City met the jolly picnickers at the train. After enjoying a delicious luncheon in the woods and exploring the principal attractions of Mill Valley, including the old mill and the cascades, Miss Roemer invited her guests to her beautiful little cottage to spend the remaining hours in dancing and playing games. One of the party having a camera many prettily arranged groups were photographed, among which was the beautiful Roemer residence. The merry-makers returned to the City with the 6:30 train.

The Monarch Social Club gave their first annual picnic at Oak Grove last Sunday. A most delightful time was enjoyed by their guests. Between dances an entertainment was given by the following members: President T. B. Herrin, Professor B. Hirschberg and Colonel G. W. Alexander.

Camp Brookside, Cazadero, was entertained at Hunters' Resort, the home of Charles Ingram, a few days since. The tramp up the canyon sharpened the appetites of the campers, who did justice to the luncheon provided by their host. A splendid time was enjoyed by all. Saturday night the camp tendered a farewell reception. Messrs. Post and Reed furnished music for the occasion.

AT THE RESORTS.

Notes From the Mountains, Seaside, Lakes and Springs.

August promises to be quite as gay as the preceding summer months have been at the various popular resorts. From all the interior hotels come most encouraging reports of crowded places and a never-ceasing round of gayeties. Below will be found our usual interesting notes for the many fashionable country hotels.

Anderson Springs.

ANDERSON SPRINGS, CAL., July 31.—Charles Adams, president of the Olympic Club Wheelmen, with his wife and child, have taken a cottage at the springs for the month. Mr. McCarty of San Francisco and Mr. Dineen of Vallejo, yearly guests of Anderson Springs, have broken the record by catching, within a few hours, ninety large mountain trout from the south fork of the Putah Creek, which flows within fifty feet of the hotel. The guests and late arrivals at Anderson Springs are: James Cottle, Miss Lena Schultheiss, Mrs. James Garbarino, Miss Mamie Garbarino, Master Andrew Garbarino, San Francisco; Miss Tillie Kohler, Miss Gretchen Kohler, Oakland; John Blunck, Great Western Mine; K. Hinderer, Mary Bird, San Francisco; J. F. Welladoo, Fruitvale; Agnes Carey, Mr. McCarty, Mrs. William Hardiman, Ethel Hardiman, Eugene Hardiman, San Francisco; Mrs. Charles Forster and family, Alameda; William Garms, Alfred Garms, Mr. McCarion, Mr. Hellburg, James Moran; San Francisco; Ralph Reinike, Middletown. C. M. Nelson, Vallejo; H. R. Grantley, G. A. Brown, San Francisco; C. H. Brady, George Easterley, Harbin Springs; Mr. Gorevan, Miss Aggie Gorevan, Master James Gorevan, Mrs. Benson, Miss Carrie Benson, San Francisco; Mrs. L. Moller and child, Alameda; J. H. Thoresen, Vallejo; Frank E. Van Pelt, Mrs. Bellmer, Miss Ida Bellmer, Mr. Cortreaw, San Francisco; Hugh Davy, Corona Upines, Mrs. Joshua Spiris, Mrs. William Bassett, Master Bassett, Middletown; R. J. Young, San Francisco; E. W. Lundquist, P. Dineen, Master J. Dineen, Vallejo; John Kearney, P. Tracey, San Francisco; Charles C. Connolly, Vallejo; G. A. Brown, J. Wolf, W. H. Baker, San Francisco; Con Hooley, Oakland; Cassie Schumacher, George E. Gibson, Ralph Gifford, San Francisco: Miss Jessie Gibson, Sacramento; Miss Mary Ludlow, Oakland; Mrs. W. Bassett, Cobb Valley; C. Masoero, A. Decourtieux, G. Schwarz, A. Prow, Charles Albert Adams, Mrs. Charles Adams, Margaret Adams, San Francisco; G. E. Bailey, Oakland; Mrs. F. Farrar, Alameda; Mrs. C. E. Ray, Miss Verna Ray, San Francisco; Milton Farrar, Alameda; Miss Edith Ivory, Lodi; G. W. Kemp and wife, Misses Verna and Agnes Kemp, Middletown; Mrs. M. Lyle, Miss Allie Lyle, Napa; C. E. Kemp, W. Badenham, San Francisco; F. F. Plank and wife, Tomales; H. S. Gutermute, Mrs. H. S. Gutermute and child, Petaluma; Miss J. B. Smith, Stockton; Miss Ethel Amesbury, Healdsburg; Estella Smith, Jack Oakley, San Francisco; Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. G. F. Volkman, Mrs. O. Ricconi, Mrs. N. L. Mitchell, Miss Josephine Davidson, Harry Merrifield, Richard Jones, Miller Jones, Ætna Springs; Elsie L. Bronner, Ida M. Butler, Buffalo, N. Y.; E. McPhillips, San Francisco; Jean A. Patriquin, Canton; Mrs. Gifford, Charlie Dunbar, Lake County; A. L. Black, Oakland; Miss Sadie Peterson, San Francisco; Mrs. Perkins, William Perkins, Great Western mine; H. Erikson, Mrs. H. Erikson and child, Selley; Mrs. A. J. Clanton, Santa Rosa; J. E. Mullen, T. E. Nunan, San Francisco; George Burmester, Middletown; J. J. Davis, Petaluma; Mrs. L. Patriquin, Miss Margaret Casasse, Mrs. Charles Casasse, Miss Rose Casasse, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Charles Rosch, Miss Fannie Deutch, William Buhles, Miss Germain Panchen, Mr. and Mrs. James Rock, San Luis Obispo; Mr. McCarty, San Francisco;

The Methodist Sunday-school of Middletown held their yearly celebration at Anderson Springs. Among them were the following: Rev. F. R. Walton (pastor), A. E. Norton (superintendent), John Appleton, J. L. Read, F. Cameron, Miss Maggie Davis, Mrs. Hanna, Miss Nellie Davis, Miss Nellie Fraser, Miss Martha Fraser, Miss Maud Fraser, Peter Bolliger, Viola Hunt, Pearl Andrews, Mrs. John Reinicke, Mrs. Harry Schmidt, Annie Shullier, Georgia Davis, Ollie Fanner, A. Anthony, Earl Anthony, Alice Anthony, Lawson Anthony, Alvin Anthony, E. E. Naughtal, Miss May Reinike, Clifford Norton, But Reid, Edith Sacry, Ethel Sacry, Myrtle Sacry, Barrett Sacry, Mrs. Habishaw, Charley Habishaw, Grace Habishaw, Isabel Habishaw, John Reinike, Methodist Sunday-school.

Lake Tahoe.

TALLAC, LAKE TAHOE, CAL., July 31.—E. T. Ackerman and wife of San Francisco and T. F. Morrison and wife of San Jose, who have been staying at the Tallac for some time, departed for their respective homes to-day. They chartered the pleasure boat Mamie yesterday and succeeded in landing nearly seventy fish. Miss Norma Bachman and Miss Olga Adelesdorfer have gained the reputation of being the most fearless horsewomen that have been here for some time, having mounted horses that few men would approach. In company with Albert Baruch they recently made a very daring ascent of Mount Tallac. Miss Rose Sachs, after a very pleasant sojourn of two weeks returned to San Francisco to-day. Many moonlight excursions on the lake and picnics have been given in the lady's honor. Mrs. E. S. Rothchild accompanied by her mother, Mrs. L. Meyerstein, returned to San Francisco today. Mrs. Rothchild has had the distinction of being the most expert fisherwoman this season by having landed a twelve-pounder.

The expert swimming and high diving of Mrs. Simon of New York have created quite a sensation. Mrs. Simon departed this week for San Francisco, where she will spend a few weeks previous to her return to the East. Albert and Benjamin Baruch, after having passed two delightful weeks at Tallac, have returned home. One of the most pleasant evenings passed at Tallac occurred Tuesday when the steamer Mamie towed the historic sailing barge Lillie Van out on the lake with nearly every guest aboard. Refreshments were served and an orchestra added to the features of the entertainment. The barge was tastefully illuminated and decorated. L. O. Henderson, Warden of the Nevada Penitentiary, wife and daughter, and John Henderson and wife of Elko, Nev., are occupying "La Belle" cottage; B. U. Steinman and family of Sacramento, the "Nilla"; J. T. Wright, wife and friends, the "Arcadia"; Judge Garber and party, the "Baldwin"; A. N. Drown and family, the "Fallen Leaf," and A. Baruch and B. Baruch the "Lake View." J. A. Muir, wife and Miss Annie Smith of Los Angeles departed for their homes yesterday. Among the recent departures are Joseph Ehrman and family, E. L. Heller and family, William A. Magee and wife, Sol Wangenheim and wife, Mrs. T. and J. H. Neustadter and family.

Among the recent arrivals at Tallac are N. M. Cogswell, Boston, Mass.; J. A. Marshall and wife, Berkeley; A. Macdonald, Oakland; H. F. Kellon, San Francisco; Miss Gertie Kellon, San Francisco; John Sickler, Placerville; T. F. Morrison and wife, San Jose; Ed Ackerman and wife, San Francisco; C. T. Mills, Mills College, Cal.; Miss Mary M. Tolman, Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. L. W. Thomes, San Francisco; G. W. Jorres, San Diego, Cal.; Rev. G. A. Ottoman, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Merriam, St. Louis; A. W. Smith, San Francisco; George P. McLain, George B. McLain, Miss B. McLain, Los Angeles; A. N. Drown, Mrs. A. N. Drown, Miss Drown, Miss Newell Drown, San Francisco; B. U. Steinman and wife, O. L. Steinman, Miss Etta Steinman, Miss L. F. Steinman, Mrs. Louis Heillson, Sacramento; J. A. Muir, wife and son, Miss Annie Smith, G. L. Hurscamp and wife, Los Angeles; Miss Alura D. Kittel, New York; J. M. Mannon and wife, Ukiah; C. T. Pastorius, Colorado Springs; I. W. Hellman Jr., A. J. Rich, H. P. Verder, San Francisco; John Henderson, Mrs. John Henderson, Elko; L. O. Henderson, Mrs. L. O. Henderson, Miss Sadie Henderson, Carson City; G. Verdier and Son, Paris.

Hotel Del Mar.

SANTA CRUZ, CAL., July 31.—The quiet beach at Hotel del Mar was the scene of a very exciting incident on Tuesday last. Several of the guests had noticed during the morning a sailboat sailing around the bay, but supposing it to be a fishing party no attention was given to it. A few moments before the lunch hour Master Ed Crinmon, son of the manager of the hotel, while watching the boat saw it catch in the breakers and capsize. With a cry for assistance to his companion, Master Willie Breen, he made a dash for the beach. The lads heedless of consequences rushed into the surf, overturned the boat and rescued the then unconscious man. Willing hands and restoratives soon restored the unfortunate man. It was found that he was a gentleman from San Francisco who was visiting in Santa Cruz and, having gone out on a fishing excursion, lost control of his craft. It is needless to say the boys were heroes the rest of the day at Del Mar.

The guests at Del Mar are having a most enjoyable time. Swimming, boating, excursions to the big trees, Olive Springs and other points of interest, together with hayrides, make the moments pass merrily. The following are spending the month here: Miss Annie Bagge, Master Harold Agmar, Miss Katherine McFadden, Miss Amelia Martin, Miss K. T. Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Allen, Mrs. J. D. Sullivan, the Misses Nellie and Katherine Sullivan, Miss S. Krause, Miss G. Krause, Mrs. A. P. Giannini, Mrs. P. O'Connell, Mrs. W. Shaughnessy, Miss Regina Cuneo, J. T. Fleming, William Butler, Frank A. Gonzales, William A. Kelly, Masters John Martin and Raymond Kennedy, San Francisco; Rev. J. P. Callahan, Antioch; J. D. Walsh, J. Miller, Rene A. Brassy, San Jose; Henry B. Allen, Chicago.

Highland Springs.

Latest arrivals at Highland Springs are: W. J. Yore, Dr. Sullivan, M. Cleary, W. H. Elliot, W. A. Craig, W. G. Cords, S. F. Barnes, Mrs. H. Bauer, James Nissum, A. B. Mackay, W. H. Leix, Dr. Muller and wife, J. C. Winans, Ed. Polhemus, A. H. Ricketts and family, Mrs. Charles S. Wheeler, Mrs. Cete Ryan, M. J. Scanton, Ira J. Harmon, Mrs. R. A. Harris, Mrs. H. P. Gazzunni, M. H. Grossmeyer, Dr. C. F. Buckley, Fred Heliwig and son, Charles Hanson, G. W. Pisher, Thomas Sullivan, Paul Friedman and family, Mrs. W. V. Bryan and family, Miss Reis, E. H. Hoag, C. J. Leighton, J. M. Jellatt, M. W. Jellatt, E. C. Klumpp, J. T. Burke, Mrs. M. B. Cunningham, Miss Carrie Cunningham, Miss Harriet Cory, Miss Saran Cory, J. H. Duckmann, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Sprague, J. Harris, J. C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Spotts, Mrs. B. M. Aaron, H. M. Block, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Flint, Mrs. A. L. Edwards, Mrs. B. R. Phillips, Mrs. C. J. Jones, Frank P. Thwaits, John Sproufe, N. A. Hawkins and family, Mrs. Tigue and child, Mrs. W. D. Foote, Miss Haralson, I. von Szinnvey, L. W. Classon, J. Swain, R. P. Hooe and wife, Dr. W. E. Taylor, Miss Sophia Boore, F. P. Taylor, George F. Taylor, A. V. Clark, W. O'Bryan, C. P. Bradford, Mrs. M. Simms, Mrs William Lang.

Klamath Hot Springs.

Late arrivals at the Klamath Hot Springs include: Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Berger, New York; Dr. J. H. West, Klanathon; J. B. West, Greenview, Ill.; Kola Nels, Albany, Or.; N. R. Levering, Oro Fino; George T. Baldwin, Klamath Falls, Or.; Miss Maud Baldwin, Klamath Falls, Or.; Miss Mattie Wilson, Medford, Or.; Mrs. C. Goulet, Seattle; H. B. Gillis, Yreka; W. H. Obear, Los Angeles; Major Marion Biggs, Gridley; Judge W. H. Biggs, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. James Faris, Sacramento; Mr. and Mrs. A. Kendall, Oakland; Miss Marguerite Foulke, Gazelle; Master Leland Stanford Foulke, Gazelle; Miss Grace Nixon, J. A. Manley, Sacramento; Mrs. L. H. Barnum, Miss Jessie Barnum, Master Harold Barnum, Chico; Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Lees, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stemler, Sacramento; Mrs. D. Dumaurey, Miss L. Dumaurey, A. Machefert, San Francisco; William Faber, Albany, Or.; Al Boeniche, Portland; J. Schollhern, Grants Pass; Miss Charlotte Eaton, Redding, Cal.; J. D. Carr, Miss L. B. Carr, Yreka; Edson L. Foulke, Miss Elizabeth Foulke, Gazelle, Cal.

Coronado.

C. W. Snumway, Batavia, Ill., is visiting Coronado. Attorney W. Austin Goodman of Cincinnati, Graeme Turnbull of Baltimore and Dr. Lozin of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent the past two days cruising over to the Coronado Islands, camping there one night in company with Skipper Dunne of the Hebe. The first day's catch amounting to a ton of fish was dumped overboard, as the Hebe is not furnished with a refrigerator. The spoils of the second day equaled the first, samples, including sheepshead, bass, rockcod, indigo perch, eels, a baby seal and a 300-pound jewfish, being brought in by the party at night. J. Clark Robbins, Berkeley, is at the hotel. Mrs. E. C. Wright was a recent San Francisco guest here. R. H. M. Scott and sister, Miss Scott, tourists from Dorking, England, have been staying at the hotel and visiting the various points of interest in this vicinity. Dr. A. E. Regensburger of Sutter street, San Francisco, has been spending a week with his brother, M. M. Regensburger, at Hotel del Coronado. Captain J. H. Bennett of the Santa Rosa is a frequent visitor here. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hitchings of New York, who were among last season's guests, are again at the hotel. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Blanchard are recent Los Angeles arrivals. Jay W. Adams and E. A. Cooper, two well-known San Francisco railroad men, were here the past week. Mr. and Mrs. W. Berlin are among the New York guests. Mrs. M. McNicoll, accompanied by Miss McNicoll, of San Francisco, visited the beach during the week. B. Sherwood Dunn, M.D., Los Angeles, accompanied by Dr. Henry F. Helms, Florence, Italy, spent Sunday at the hotel. Miss Mary L. Dewing of Kalamazoo, Mich., is visiting her brother, Charles S. Rowe, at the hotel. Miss Vyne Bowers, daughter of ex-Congressman Bowers, is the guest of Mrs. Ada Ware Morgan at her bungalow on the beach. Mr. and Mrs. Evan Roberts and child are the guests of Mr. Roberts' parents at their home on the beach. Mrs. Rene Goodwin and Miss Ethel Fitch, Beaumont, have returned to the hotel. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibbons of San Francisco are staying here. Miss Fannie Graham of Atchison, Kans., is visiting Mrs. M. B. Harrison at her cottage on Flora avenue. L. M. Fletcher, Pacific Coast agent of the Missouri Pacific, was down the past week from San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. C. Selden Smart, New York, are at the hotel for an extended visit. Mrs. Smart (Helen H. Gardiner) recently lectured in Los Angeles. The site of the new Hotel del Coronado jetty is the scene of much activity. The piledriver is working its way well out to sea and the work of filling in with brush and stone was begun within the last few days. A charming excursion was given Saturday by the directors of the Summer School. The run to Sweetwater dam was made in the morning, lunching at Linwood Grove, and following that a visit to the Custom-house in Mexico, the return trip to Coronado being over the famous Silver Strand. The Government jetty at Zuninga Shoals, North Island, was also visited. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kurtz, Boston, Mass., Mrs. A. H. Parker, Brookline, Mass., and Miss Maurice, Los Angeles, are a party staying at the hotel.

Soda Bay.

Among the recent arrivals at Soda Bay are Mrs. E. Denison, Lurana Denison, Olive Denison, Florence Sloper, Oakland; Lottie Collier, Highland; Mrs. C. E. Rawles, Miss Ruby Jewell, Hopland; H. M. Barry, C. W. Greene, Oakland; George J. V. Connor, San Francisco; J. L. Craig and wife, Lizzie Akers, Cassie Craig, Nora Allen, Highland; Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Deering, San Rafael; Stuart M. Brumagen, Walter S. Moore, Alexander D. Hayes, John B. Chetland family, Miss Grenninger, Adeline Smith, C. M. Sadler, O. N. Greenewaldt, M. T. Butler, Grace A. Buckley, Genevieve Butler, Alice Butler, George S. Butler, G. Butler, San Francisco; Alphonse Astorg, Astorg Springs; Carrie Slotterbeck, Santa Rosa; Ethel A. Green, Lawrence S. Greene, Oakland; F. A. Snooroff, Oakland; W. T. Welch, Miss L. Doyle, Miss K. Lynch, A. Miginis, C. Glenn, G. Wilson, J. H. McEvoy, E. Kunst, San Francisco; Miss Chidd, San Rafael; N. Schroeder, San Jose; Mr. and Mrs. F. Angell, three children and nurse, Palo Alto; A. L. Black, Oakland.

Hotel Rowardennan.

Late arrivals at the Hotel Rowardennan include Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Kane and son, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Morse, nephew and niece of President McKinley, George A. Turner, T. P. Woodward, wife and son, Miss Woodward, Miss Ethel Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Cross and maid, Mrs. J. H. Wallace, Miss Wallace, J. O. Cadman, C. B. Gould, Dr. and Mrs. Lewis, San Francisco; J. C. Rowell, Berkeley; J. Arthur Rowell, Berkeley; C. F. Rowell, Berkeley; H. C. Rawley, San Francisco; Sam Wilson, San Francisco; A. E. Graupmer, San Francisco; Mrs. A. F. Coffin, Oakland; Mrs. H. Gracey, Berkeley; Miss Ames, Miss Emma Hall, Miss Patrick, Miss Bohms, Miss G. Bohms, Harry Gray, Master Ed Patrick, Mrs. J. W. Morgan, Miss Ella Morgan, F. C. Morgan, San Francisco; H. K. Belden, manager Hartford Insurance Company; Mrs. H. K. Belden, Miss Daisy Belden, Miss Nadine Belden, Dr. Ray K. Belden, Dan Belden, Arthur Piper, San Francisco; W. H. Robinson, San Jose; Dr. D. W. Montgomery and family, L. O. Adams, wife and maid; Mrs. Irving Moulton, Miss Moulton, Mrs. E. P. Wilds, Mrs. Berry, Miss Berry, Mrs. Patton, Miss Ethel D. Patton, Miss M. Quigley, Miss L. Martin, San Francisco; Mrs. D. S. de Wilkins, Miss Wilkins, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wegener, Mrs. Hoaf, the Misses Myer, Miss Sadie Rice, C. H. Jordan, San Francisco; C. P. Lincoln of Southern Pacific Company; Charles Wilson, Santa Cruz; Miss Lois G. Wilson, Madera; Lieutenant F. M. Bostwick, United States Navy; Mrs. F. M. Bostwick, Miss Mabel Bostwick, Mare Island; Miss Ray Bostwick, Wisconsin. The Hept Opera Company is to give a concert in the hotel hall on August 4. A coaching party given by Hon. Curtiss H. Lindley to Capitola was enjoyed last Tuesday. William Hubbard and Sam Wilson have some exciting games of tennis.

Miss Wenzelburger is the champion ninepin player of Rowardennan. Miss Ethel Patton is the envy of all the girls for her charms and grace of swimming. Dr. Belden, Dan Belden and H. K. Belden have gone on a fishing trip to the Big Basin, sixteen miles from Rowardennan.

Santa Monica.

SANTA MONICA, CAL., July 31.—The gay summer season is in full blast and Santa Monica's host of admirers are here paying court at her shrine, and incidentally keeping up a round of festivities.

The annual tennis tournament with its usual social accompaniments has made this week a brilliant one, balls, teas, moonlight beach excursions, picnics to the canyons, swimming parties and various diversions being in order.

The Knights of Pythias encampment dissolved in a blaze of glory, and just in time to allow the public to give all attention to the tennis tournament.

Sunday's crowd was the largest of the season. An enormous clambake on North Beach was one of the main attractions.

The swell society event of the week was the lawn party given by the Baroness Harden-Hickey. The good old game of croquet, which is a rival to newer diversions this summer, was enthusiastically played. The guests were: Mrs. H. A. Winslow, Mrs. James Bettner, Mrs. G. L. Waring, Mrs. J. E. Hoy, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Violet Upham, Mrs. F. G. Ryan, Mrs. H. J. Vail, Mrs. J. T. Gaffey, Mrs. G. W. Wells, Mrs. W. E. Lester, Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Roberts, Miss I. Scott, Miss Effie Corson, Miss A. Brooks. Messrs. Freeman, Picher, Rowan and McGilvray gave a delightful dinner Wednesday evening at the Casino. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, Miss Caswell, Miss Knight, Miss Hugus, Miss Silent, Miss Newmark, Miss Hamilton, Mr. Goodwin and Mr. Daggett.

One of the jolliest parties on our beach is the inmates from the Orphans' Home in San Bernardino. Two cottages and a large tent make up their headquarters. For the next six weeks they will live close to mother nature.

Mrs. Modini Wood and family are at Boehme Villa.

Miss Laura Terry of Sacramento and Miss Sadie Breen of San Mateo are the guests of Mrs. Henry W. Keller.

Mme. Seminario and two sons are at the Anchorage for the season.

Aetna Springs.

ÆTNA SPRINGS, CAL., July 31.—The guests of Ætna were delightfully entertained on the evening of the 24th by Dr. and Mrs. Frank Pague of San Francisco. Progressive euchre claimed the greater part of the entertainment. E. W. Williams carried off the first gentleman's prize, and Mrs. A. M. Whittle received the first lady's prize. Among the late arrivals are: W. E. Toms, A. L. Walker, J. E. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tee, Mr. and Mrs. John Noonan, George P. Thomas, R. Maertius, San Francisco; Miss Annabel Skinner, John Imrie, Napa; Miss Anna Dixon, Allan Peck, Stanford University; A. A. Mackinder, Miss Leslie Kibbie, St. Helena; F. T. Mooney, Mrs. W. J. Mooney, New York; Mrs. W. R. Dow, New Hampton; Robert Hunter, Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Caroline S. Martin, Chicago.

Agua Caliente Springs.

The following guests registered at Agua Caliente Springs, Sonoma County, during the last week: Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hibbetts, Miss Dora Charles, San Francisco; Mrs. C. B. Duvall, Chicago; Floyd Judah, Miss Blanche Cameron, Alex Ross, David Kerr, Miss Virginia Kerr, Miss Eunice Kerr, Miss Blanche Kerr, Mrs. Young, Miss Maher, San Francisco; Mrs. Wade, Oakland.

Portola.

PORTOLA, CAL., July 31.—The warm weather of the past week has brought to light long-forgotten cozy nooks, and the guests of the hotel have been enjoying the shades of the redwoods. The future has much in store in the line of mountain drives and picnic parties. During the week many impromptu house parties were arranged, and the guests took solid comfort in country dances and light repasts.

Hotel de Redwood.

The latest arrivals at Hotel de Redwood are: Mr. and Mrs. Griffith, the Misses Griffith, San

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THE YOUNGEST DAUGHTER.

Like a Dutiful Child, She Stayed Home From the Seashore to Keep Dear Papa Company.

[A study by a "Call" artist.]

FROM GREATER NEW YORK.

At the risk of being promptly arrested and hurried around to the first station-house for daring to speak to a strange man on the streets of New York, I bravely stepped up to a Hibernian-browed police officer the other evening, and in dulcet voice and low, I said: "Please, Mr. Officer, would you mind telling me the name of the saint who is said to be responsible for all the rainstorms we have encountered recently? I read the daily papers, and in one I saw that a saint something-or-other reserved the power of treating the earth to forty days' rain, providing the powers unseen sent down a shower on that saint's day! The forty days' rain is undoubtedly upon us in full vigor. I am naturally aching to know the name of the fellow who is responsible!" I paused in my wild career through sentences, and as the Hibernian-browed policeman nervously twirled his official cudgel he amazed me by muttering, in a thick, German dialect, "Ach mine! Dis vedder makes me no difference. Maype der fellow you spoke chust now is got his name on der bolice records written—I don't know." With the mild manner of a patient old donkey the good, kind officer continued his beat to the next corner and left me to freedom. I have been wondering whether he fancied I was rickety in the upper stories, or a private female detective; anyhow I haven't been able to find out the aforesaid saint's name. I know we haven't had one clear day during the past three weeks, saint or no saint; and I also know that I am thankful for the comforts of a cozy apartment here in this much-slandered Gotham.

There have been many expressions of regret here among admiring friends that they will not be permitted the pleasure of personally attending the wedding of Miss Laura Gashwiler and Samuel M. Shortridge at high noon Monday, August 2.

The accomplished couple have a score or more of near relatives in the vicinity of Greater New York, and, though they find it impossible to be present at the ceremony, loving thoughts and heartfelt wishes will be wafted across this broad continent for the health, happiness and prosperity of Mr. Shortridge and Miss Gashwiler in their union.

Visiting Californians have been growing more scarce in this vicinity every day since last June. It is a marvel to meet any one direct from California during this humid weather. "I'd just as leave pass a couple of weeks in the rainy districts of Oregon as face your deadly thunderbolts and sheets of warm, driving rain for even one day," said a popular San Franciscan to me yesterday, as he looked over a railroad guide and firmly declared that the "first train going down to Newport could bank on him as a passenger."

I did not expostulate with him, for, although I dislike the thought of Oregon in rainy seasons, I am positively aching for a glimpse of the furrowed sides of old Mount Tamalpais and the blue shadows that always overlie the distant heights of old Mount Diablo, both of which can be seen from San Francisco's hills.

James E. Wilson came to the city on Monday, and after stopping a few days at the Hotel Cadillac continued to Boston, where business of importance called him. He expects to visit New York again before returning to the coast.

By the way, the Hotel Cadillac is the new name for the old-established Barrett House on Broadway and Forty-third street. The same company that established the Hotel Cadillac of Detroit, Mich., has taken this New York hotel as an experiment.

Arthur H. Steel of San Francisco has been in the city a week.

L. Isaacs, a popular business man of Los Angeles, is a guest at the Hotel Imperial.

Albert Derham is also a guest at the Imperial.

All the big hotels are empty of their usual number of Pacific Coast guests.

At the Hoffman but two California guests have arrived within a week. One of them was G. A. Kline, well known in San Francisco, and the other was L. S. Sherman, who is here for a short time on business.

R. B. Elder has been here a full week and is putting up at a Broadway hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hayman have taken a cottage at Larchmont, where they will remain until late in the